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Contract Branch

Central Intelligence Agency

Washington 25, D.C.

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Re:

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Dear Sir:

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The captioned matter has been referred to this office by Cur investigation discloses the lact that the crating of this lot was done in accordance with your requirements and it is obvious that the damage occurred in transit.

It is suggested that this claim be filed against the carrier.

25X1A yours very truly

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STATEMENT REGARDING DAMAGE TO HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS

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The over-all condition of my household effects upon receipt in was one of partial damage to almost all items. It was quite evident upon opening the various crates that the damages were due to negligent packing methods. Metal objects were placed inside metal containers without any packing thereby damaging both contents and containers.

A framed 5 x 10 foot map of the world, although packed in a separate box, had nails through the map proper and its frame. Although this securely attached the map to the packing crate, it ruined both map and frame. Exposed nail ends inside the same box tore the map in various places.

My Servel Electrolux refrigerator, also in a separate container, arrived with the top, sides, and front smashed. The door was sprung and smashed in such a way that when closed, a person could reach inside the refrigerator at both the top and bottom of the door.

A dining room chair of bleached birch was packed next to a metal object which cut into the chair seat in about six places. These gouges are too deep to sand smooth and refinish.

The damage suffered by most of the other items was of a relatively lighter nature, and such items as could be were repaired. The expenses attributable to such repairs are included in this claim.

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LIST OF DAMAGED ITEMS IN SHIPMENT OF HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS OF 25X1A9a

ITEM	DOLLAR DAMAGE
Refrigerator (top, sides, and door smashed, door sprung)	\$195.00
Dining room chair(gouged)	37.00
Kitchen range(porcelain chipped, sides mashed)	25.00
Painting (frame broken)	7.00
Framed world map (map tore, frame broken)	7.50
Metal clothes' hamper (smashed)	8.00
Metal floor lamp (scarred and bent)	12.00
Metal wall lamp (scarred and bent)	7.50
Metal shoe rack (smashed)	5.00
Mahogamy desk (joints broked)	10.00
Phonograph records (broken, not packed properly)	25.00
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